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Attorney Docket No. 24011-0002
Serial No. ____/____

As a below named joint inventor, each of us hereby declares as follows:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe that I am an original, first, and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

NOVEL VECTORS IN AVIAN TRANSGENESIS

the specification of which is identified as U.S. Serial No. ____/____, filed on October 16, 1998.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information of which I am aware that is material to the examination of this application in accordance with 37 CFR 1.56(a).

I do not know and do not believe: that this invention was ever known or used in the United States of America before our invention thereof; that this invention was patented or described in any printed publication in any country before our invention thereof or more than one year prior to this application; that this invention was in public use or on sale in the United States of America more than one year prior to this application; that this invention has been patented or made the subject of an inventor's certificate issued before the date of this application in any country foreign to the United States of America on an application filed by me or my legal representatives or assigns more than twelve months prior to this application; nor that any application for patent or inventor's certificate on this invention has been filed in any country foreign to the United States of America prior to this application by me or my legal representatives or assigns.

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code § 119(e) of the United States Provisional Application No. 60/062,172, filed October 16, 1997.

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[X] In re Application of: Robert Ivarie and Alex J. Harvey
Application No: Not Yet Known Group Art Unit: Not Yet Known
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For: Novel Vectors in Avian Transgenesis

**VERIFIED STATEMENT (DECLARATION) CLAIMING
SMALL ENTITY STATUS (37 CFR 1.9(c-f) and 1.27(b-d))**

With respect to the invention described in

[X] the specification filed herewith.
[] application no: _____, filed _____
[] patent no. _____, issued _____

I. IDENTIFICATION OF DECLARANT AND RIGHTS AS A SMALL ENTITY

A Non-Profit Organization

[X] an official empowered to act on behalf of the nonprofit organization identified below:

NAME OF ORGANIZATION The University of Georgia Research Foundation, Inc.

ADDRESS OF ORGANIZATION Boyd Graduate Studies Research Center
Athens, GA 30602-7411

TYPE OF ORGANIZATION

[] UNIVERSITY OR OTHER INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION
[X] TAX EXEMPT UNDER INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE CODE (26 USC 501(a) and 501(c)(3))

and that the nonprofit organization identified above qualifies as a nonprofit organization, as defined in 37 CFR 1.9(e), for purposes of paying reduced fees under Sections 41(a) and (b) of Title 35, United States Code.

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II. OWNERSHIP OF INVENTION BY DECLARANT

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☐ person ☐ concern ☒ organization
(item (a) or (b) above) (item (c) above) (item (d) above)

III. ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF DUTY TO NOTIFY PTO OF STATUS CHANGE

I acknowledge the duty to file, in this application or patent, notification of any change in status resulting in loss of entitlement to small entity status prior to paying, or at the time of paying, the earliest of the issue fee or any maintenance fee due after the date on which status as a small entity is no longer appropriate. (37 CFR 1.28(b))

IV. DECLARATION

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V. SIGNATURE

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